

House File 194 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the request for a regulatory analysis of a
2 proposed administrative rule.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
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1 1 Section 1. Section 17A.4A, subsection 1, Code 2007, is
1 2 amended to read as follows:
1 3 1. An agency shall issue a regulatory analysis of a
1 4 proposed rule that complies with subsection 2, paragraph "a",
1 5 if, within ~~thirty-two~~ seventy days after the published notice
1 6 of proposed rule adoption, a written request for the analysis
1 7 is submitted to the agency by the administrative rules review
1 8 committee, ~~or~~ the administrative rules coordinator, at least
1 9 twenty-five persons who are directly and adversely affected by
1 10 the rule signing the request, or an organization representing
1 11 at least twenty-five such persons. An agency shall issue a
1 12 regulatory analysis of a proposed rule that complies with
1 13 subsection 2, paragraph "b", if the rule would have a
1 14 substantial impact on small business and if, within ~~thirty-two~~
1 15 seventy days after the published notice of proposed rule
1 16 adoption, a written request for analysis is submitted to the
1 17 agency by the administrative rules review committee, the
1 18 administrative rules coordinator, at least twenty-five persons
1 19 signing that request who each qualify as a small business, ~~or~~
1 20 by an organization representing at least twenty-five such
1 21 persons. If a rule has been adopted without prior notice and
1 22 an opportunity for public participation in reliance upon
1 23 section 17A.4, subsection 2, the written request for an
1 24 analysis that complies with subsection 2, paragraph "a" or
1 25 "b", may be made within seventy days of publication of the
1 26 rule.

1 27 Sec. 2. Section 17A.4A, subsection 4, unnumbered paragraph
1 28 1, Code 2007, is amended to read as follows:

1 29 Upon receipt by an agency of a timely request for a
1 30 regulatory analysis, which is received prior to the adoption
1 31 of the rule, the agency shall extend the period specified in
1 32 this chapter for each of the following until at least twenty
1 33 days after publication in the administrative bulletin of a
1 34 concise summary of the regulatory analysis:

EXPLANATION

2 1 This bill expands the period for requesting a regulatory
2 2 analysis statement for new administrative rules. The current
2 3 period is 32 days from the publication of a notice of intended
2 4 action. The bill expands this period to 70 days. The bill
2 5 also expands the eligible requesters of these analyses by
2 6 allowing 25 persons who are directly and adversely impacted by
2 7 the rule or an organization representing 25 such persons to
2 8 make the demand.
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